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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF  
NEW YORK,

INDEX NO#

DURVEN DAWES s/c

Plaintiff, Complaint  
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AGAINST

THE City OF NEW YORK

P.O JAMES ROMANO

UC UNDERCOVER #

POLICE OFFICER, Shield 279,

AND POLICE OFFICERS "JOHN

AND JANE DOES, (WHOSE

NAMES AND SHIELDS

ARE UNKNOWN),

DEFENDANTS  
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Plaintiff Complaining of the Defendants  
of the City of New York,

P.O. JAMES ROMANO Shield no# 1748

UNDERCOVER POLICE OFFICER, Shield #279,

POLICE OFFICERS "JOHN AND JANE DOES",

UPON INFORMATION AND BELIEF ALLEGES

AS FOLLOWS:

(1)

INTRODUCTION,

THIS IS AN ACTION AT LAW TO REDRESS  
THE DEPRIVATION UNDER COLOR OF  
STATE, ORDINANCE, REGULATION, CUSTOM,  
OR USAGE OF RIGHTS, PRIVILEGES,  
AND IMMUNITIES SECURED TO THE →

Plaintiff by the fourth, fifth and  
fourteenth Amendments to the  
Constitution of the United States,  
And By ~~THE~~ 42 U.S.C. 1983 And  
1985

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THE PLAINTIFF SEEKS MONETARY DAMAGES  
FOR: THE FALSE ARREST, WRONGFUL  
ARREST, FALSE IMPRISONMENT,  
ASSAULT, BEATEN, AND THE REFUSAL  
OF THE ARRESTING POLICE OFFICERS  
TO SEEK EMERGENCY MEDICAL  
TREATMENT DUE TO THE ASSAULT, AND  
ASTHMA, DETENTION, AND MALICIOUS  
PROSECUTION OF PLAINTIFF DUREN DAVIS  
AND FOR THE USE OF EXCESSIVE AND  
UNNECESSARY FORCE AGAINST PLAINTIFF,  
AND FOR SUBJECTING PLAINTIFF TO MALICIOUS  
ABUSE OF CRIMINAL PROCESS, AND  
OTHERWISE, FOR THE VIOLATION OF THE  
PLAINTIFF'S FEDERALLY GUARANTEED  
CONSTITUTIONAL AND CIVIL RIGHTS,  
THE PLAINTIFF SEEKS WHATEVER OTHER  
RELIEF IS APPROPRIATE AND NECESSARY  
IN ORDER TO SERVE THE INTEREST OF  
JUSTICE AND ASSURE THAT HIS REMEDY  
IS FULL AND COMPLETE.

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## JURISDICTION.

THE JURISDICTION OF THIS COURT IS INVOKED PURSUANT TO AND UNDER 28 U.S.C. SECTIONS 1331 AND 1343(3) AND (4) IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1871, 42 U.S.C. SECTION 1983, AND UNDER THE FOURTH AND FOURTEENTH AMENDMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION.

(4)

JURISDICTION IS ALSO INVOKED PURSUANT TO AND UNDER 28 U.S.C. SECTION 1367 ENTITLED SUPPLEMENTAL PENDENT PARTY JURISDICTION.

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PLAINTIFF REQUEST THAT THE COURT INVOKE PENDENT JURISDICTION OVER ANY AND ALL CLAIMS ARISING UNDER THE LAWS AND CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

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THE STATE LAW CLAIMS HAVE A COMMON NUCLEUS OF OPERATIVE FACTS WITH THE FEDERALLY BASED CLAIMS AND THEY ARISE OUT OF THE SAME TRANSACTION(S) AND OCCURRENCE(S) GIVING RISE TO THE PLAINTIFF'S FEDERALLY BASED CLAIMS AND CAUSE OF ACTION.

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Plaintiff, Also invokes the Jurisdiction of this Court in Conjunction with ~~THE~~ Declaratory Judgment Act, 28 U.S.C. Section 2201, ET SEQ.

THIS BEING AN ACTION in which Plaintiff, while seeking monetary Damages, Also seeks Declaratory AND Injunctive Relief in such is deemed NECESSARY AND DESIRABLE AND IN THE INTEREST OF JUSTICE IN ORDER to provide Plaintiff with Full AND Complete Remedy For the Violation of his Rights

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PARTIES

Plaintiff A Black male, is a Resident of the city of New York, County AND State of New York Plaintiff RESIDES AT 72 BARUCH DRIVE, Apartment 1B, New York, New York 10007

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THE city of New York is a municipal Entity existing UNDER the Laws AND Constitution of the STATE of New York AND WAS the Employer of the Defendant police officers through >

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its police Department - the City of New York Police Department, and the Actions of the police officers complained of herein were done as part of the custom, practice, usage, regulation, and, or direction of the City of New York.

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At All Times herein, individual Defendants PO James Romano Shield # 1748. Under cover police officer Shield # 279, P.O. TYRONE DUX TAC # Reg # 881773 JOHN DOES, AND JANE DOES WERE EMPLOYED AS POLICE OFFICERS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, STATE OF NEW YORK AND WERE ACTING UNDER THE COLOR OF THEIR OFFICIAL CAPACITY AND THEIR ACTS WERE PERFORMED UNDER COLOR OF THE STATUTES AND ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AND THE STATE OF NEW YORK. DEFENDANT POLICE OFFICERS WERE THE SERVANTS, AGENTS, AND EMPLOYEES OF THEIR CO-DEFENDANT, THE CITY OF NEW YORK. NOTWITHSTANDING THE WRONGFUL AND ILLEGAL NATURE OF THEIR ACTS AND CONDUCT AS HEREAFTER DESCRIBED, ~~THEY~~ WERE TAKEN AND DURING THE COURSE OF THEIR DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS AS NEW YORK CITY POLICE OFFICERS AND INCIDENTAL



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to the otherwise lawful performance of the same.

11 Plaintiff has duly complied with all conditions precedent to filing of this Action, within ninety days after each claim alleged in this complaint arose, a written notice of claim sworn to by Plaintiff, and was served upon the Defendant City of New York by delivery of the notice in duplicate to the person designated by law, hearing was requested on Plaintiff's notice of claim. At least thirty days have elapsed since the service of the various notice of claim, and adjustment or payment of the claims has been neglected or refused.

12 On or about June 22/2014 about 4:30 pm in the County and State of New York Defendant Undercover Detectives, police officers, U.C. Undercover police officer Shield No. 279 intentionally target Plaintiff for their Buy and Bust operation. Plaintiff Duvern Dawes is going about his personal business for his

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When a white female and male stop plaintiff asking to buy drugs,

plaintiff told them he don't have drug and don't know what they talking about.

I was drag about five male search and throw inside a VAN PARK on South

MacDugal Street, where

I WAS ASSAULTED, then drive around for houses,

After I was taken to a police station house where

here after thrown into a cell after strip search, where

police officers looking for drugs and weapons

inside his anus and that was standard proceeding,

Neither drugs nor weapon were recovered from the strip search.

Before thrown inside a cell

Defendants took plaintiff's ASOMA pump and ASOMA medication. AS A RESULT

plaintiff had difficulty breathing while confined

in the cell.

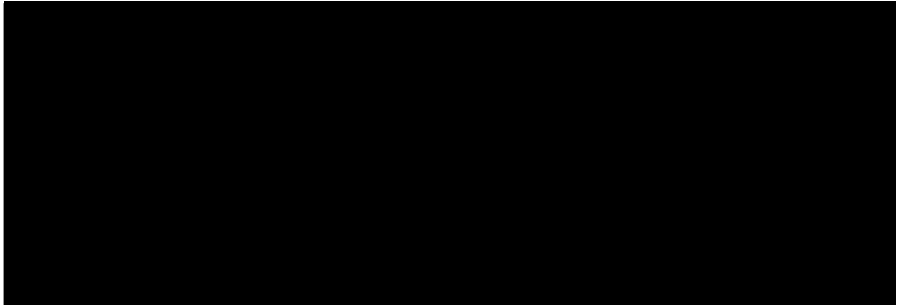
Plaintiff continued to ask for medical attention

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When ignored for hours.  
By Defendant police,  
taken to the Hospital.  
At no time I consent to strip  
search, and no drugs were  
recovered from the unlawful,  
unlawful and humiliating  
search.

Plaintiff taken to Central  
Booking where I was  
released on my own.  
The criminal charges  
drop months later by  
motion of District Attorney's  
office and Criminal  
Court Judge.

I DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF  
PERJURY THAT THE FOREGOING IS  
TRUE AND CORRECT

Signed this 17/ DAY of  
February 2016





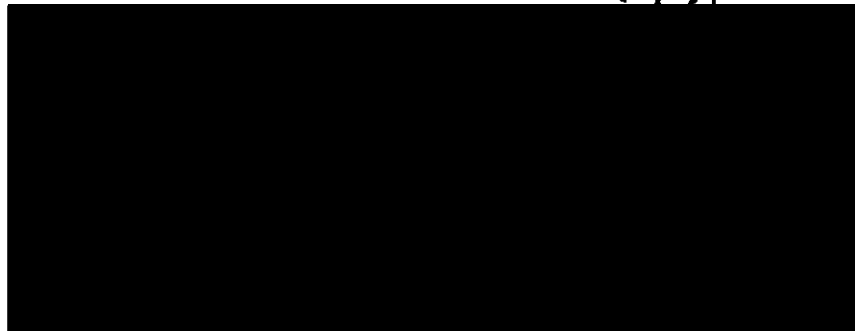
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DOLLARS for PAIN AND  
SUFFERING, EMOTIONAL  
STRESS, EMOTIONAL DISTRESS,  
MENTAL STRESS, AND THE  
LOSS AND LOVING CARE  
of my children, AND FOR  
ASSAULT, STRIP SEARCH  
HUMILIATING STRIP SEARCH.

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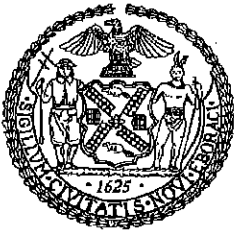
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THE CITY OF NEW YORK OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER  
1 CENTRE STREET, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10007-2341

Scott M. Stringer  
COMPTROLLER

Date: 01/13/2015

NOTICE OF 50-H HEARING

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DURVEN DAWES  
[REDACTED]

Re: Claimant Name : DURVEN DAWES  
Claim Number: 2014PI012343

Dear Sir / Madam:

Please take notice that, pursuant to Section 50-h of the General Municipal Law(GML), claimant is mandated by law to appear at the following location, at the date and time specified below, to be orally examined under oath relative to the occurrence and extent of injuries for which the above claim is made:

Date of Hearing: 02/09/2015

Time of Hearing: 11:00 AM

Location of Hearing: KREZ & FLORES, LLP  
225 BROADWAY SUITE #2800  
NEW YORK, NY 10007  
212 266 0400

The claimant should be accompanied by his or her attorney and all infant claimants must appear. Claimant is further mandated, pursuant to Section 93(d) of the New York City Charter and Section 50-h of the GML, to present him/herself for a physical examination at a date and location to be provided under separate cover.

You will be called by the law office above to confirm the date and time of the hearing. At that time you can request a language interpreter for your client, if necessary. **If an interpreter has been ordered and the claimant or counsel fails to appear for the hearing without giving 48 hours prior written notice, counsel will be charged for the cost of the interpreter.**

**Claimant will be permitted only one adjournment without cause.** Application for such adjournment should be made at least one week prior to the hearing date, in writing or by facsimile,

between 9am and 4pm, to the **Comptroller's Office, at the numbers indicated below.** Any additional adjournment must be requested, in writing or by facsimile, to the Comptroller's Office; it will be granted for good cause only and only if the hearing can be held prior to claimant's commencement of an action.

If a claimant fails to appear for a scheduled hearing, a default will be declared and claimant's failure to appear will be raised as an affirmative defense in any lawsuit filed.

You are requested to bring to the hearing copies of all documents relevant to this claim, including, but not limited to

- (1) Photographs of accident scene;
- (2) a prior written notice map;
- (3) copies of all medical and hospital records;
- (4) authorizations for the Comptroller's Office to obtain medical records;
- (5) authorizations for the Comptroller's Office to obtain employment records, loss of income documentation, and school records;
- (6) police reports.

Pursuant to State and Federal law, the Comptroller's Office is authorized to obtain, through its attorneys taking hearings, social security numbers for tax reporting purposes, and for the collection of liens held by the City and State.

Please be advised that nothing contained herein shall be construed as extending the statute of limitations beyond the statutory time.

Sincerely,

Marilyn Bodner, Esq.  
Director, Contract Services  
Bureau of Law and Adjustment  
(212) 669-2729  
Fax (212) 669-8811

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NEW YORK STATE  
**BENEFIT**  
IDENTIFICATION CARD



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FIRST NAME / M.I. DURVEN

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